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  - [X] A supplemental PTO-1449.
  - [X] Copies of references B3-B6 and C1-C7.
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Applicants submit herewith a copy of the International Search Report for corresponding PCT application PCT/US00/07108, mailed 15 November, 2000. Applicants also enclose copies of cited references B3-B6 and C1-C7 as listed on the attached PTO-1449.

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The subject application is believed patentable over any of the above references.

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